Sunway International Office Communication #19

Students with Valid Student Pass No Longer Required to Apply for EMGS Travel Authorisation to Enter Malaysia

IMPORTANT:

This message is meant to inform students on the latest announcement by EMGS dated 3rd November 2021 with regards to the updated requirement for Existing Students to travel to Malaysia.

Please read the full announcement on the EMGS News Bulletin at this link:

NOTIFICATION ON THE UPDATED REQUIREMENT FOR OBTAINING THE TRAVEL AUTHORIZATION FOR EXISTING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Available online: https://educationmalaysia.gov.my/news-update/notification-on-the-updated-requirement-for-obtaining-the-travel-authorization-for-existing-international-students/

Dear international students,

We are pleased to update you that **effective 1**st **November 2021**, international students with a **valid student pass** are permitted by the Immigration Department to enter Malaysia without applying for the Travel Authorisation via EMGS. Kindly ensure that the student pass is valid on the date and point of entry into Malaysia.

However, students who fall under any of the categories listed below are still required to obtain the **Travel Authorisation** via EMGS:

1) Student Pass expired from February 2020

If your student pass has expired from February 2020, you will need to apply for Travel Authorisation via EMGS website. Once this has been approved you will be allowed to enter Malaysia.

2) New International Student

There are no changes to procedures to enter Malaysia for New International Students.

All new international students (including students who have commenced studies online but have never travelled to Malaysia to attend face-to-face classes on campus) will be receiving an auto-generated EMGS Travel Authorisation Letter along with the issuance of the E-Visa Approval Letter (eVAL). Once approved, both these documents will be available for download from the EMGS website. Please ensure that both the EMGS Travel Authorisation Letter and E-Visa Approval Letter (eVAL) are valid on the date and point of entry into Malaysia.

All international students are subjected to the entrance procedures upon arrival as per the existing Malaysia Immigration Department regulations and undergo the mandatory health screenings and quarantine procedures by the Ministry of Health Malaysia.

Important note:

- Track the EMGS Travel Authorisation approval here:
 https://visa.educationmalaysia.gov.my/emgs/application/searchForm/
- Read on the validity period for EMGS Travel Authorisation Letter for existing and new students here:
 https://educationmalaysia.gov.my/news-update/validity-period-for-travel-authorization-approvals-issued-via-emgs/

Should you require further clarification and assistance please email us at intwelfare@sunway.edu.my. Thank you.

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